

Social and Personal

W. MINOR WOODWARD and his daughter, Miss Lettice Woodward, left town Saturday morning for New York. From New York Mr. Woodward and his daughter will sail to-morrow morning for a trip to Panama. They will not return to Richmond until after the winter season.

Returned to Richmond. Miss Mary Traylor, who has been the guest of relatives in Atlanta for some time past, has returned to Richmond, and will spend the remainder of the season with Mrs. R. T. Hunter at 215 East Franklin Street. Miss Elizabeth Wilbur, of Philadelphia, will arrive in the city in a few days, and will be the guest of Miss Traylor for several weeks. Miss Wilbur frequently visits in Richmond, and has been much entertained during her visits here.

Spent Winter Here. Colonel and Mrs. Frank P. McConnell, of Fort Smith, Ark., are in town for the remaining winter months, and are located at the home of Miss Lucy Tally Temple, 311 West Grace Street. Mrs. McConnell was formerly Miss Belle Norwood Tyler, daughter of former Governor and Mrs. J. Hoge Tyler, and is one of the most prominent and well known girls in Virginia society.

During her father's term as Governor of Virginia, Mrs. McConnell was much entertained, and is well known in society of this city. Her wedding was a notable event of the fall season. Colonel McConnell was in command of the Third Regiment of the Alabama National Guard for four years, and is a son of the late Colonel William Kennedy McConnell, a distinguished Confederate officer.

Guests of the Misses Watkins. Miss Eva Slaughter, of Hampton, and Miss Beulah Christian, of Glen Allen, are visiting Misses Edith and Erma Watkins at their home, 2028 West Grace Street. In honor of the Misses Watkins and their guests a box party was given at the Bijou Theatre on Saturday afternoon.

Ten Friday. Mrs. Elmore D. Hotchkiss, Jr., of 324 West Franklin Street, gave a very handsome tea on Friday afternoon at her home. The decorations were unusually attractive. The walls of the two drawing rooms, the hall and the dining room were entirely covered with a tulle work of green vines and smilax. In the drawing rooms pink roses were caught at close intervals in the green tulle. The table was covered with a tulle work of green vines and smilax. In the drawing rooms pink roses were caught at close intervals in the green tulle. The table was covered with a tulle work of green vines and smilax.

Mrs. Hotchkiss received with her guest, Mrs. Wernag, of Philadelphia; her mother, Mrs. W. S. Forbes, and her sister, Mrs. A. P. Ripley. The hostess's gown was of lavender satin and lace. Mrs. Wernag wore a white lace

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Gown: Mrs. Forbes was in black tulle and jet over white satin, and Mrs. Ripley wore a white gown.

Invitations Out. Mrs. Nannie B. Jones, of 114 East Franklin Street, will give a reception on the evening of January 31 at 9 o'clock, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Logan Bentley, a debutante of the winter. Invitations have been limited to the debutantes of this season and last.

For Miss Scott. Miss Jellison Scott was guest of honor at a card party given by her hostess, Mrs. Thomas Robinson, in Alexandria Thursday night. Seven-handed euchre was played, and the prizes were won by Miss Lisa Anderson and Edward Fawcett.

Returned to Richmond. Miss Mary Frayser has returned to Richmond, after taking a three years' course in training at St. Agnes's Hospital in Baltimore, from which institution she graduated recently. Miss Frayser will make her home in this city with her sister, Miss Edith Lee Frayser, at her apartment, 10 South Third Street.

Arrangements for the tea are in the hands of Miss Frances B. Scott, Mrs. E. G. Leigh, J. M. Edwards, E. Valentine, Mrs. C. E. Bolling, Miss Betty Ellyson and Mrs. J. Enders Robinson. The association expects the date, January 30, to be kept open by the members of the organization. The tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Frayser, and will be a charming affair, and members and a few invited guests will be present.

Classes Resumed. Mrs. Powell will resume her classes for the remaining months of the season at the Belvidere Hall on Thursday evening at 9 o'clock. All members of the class are urged to attend.

Entertained Friends. Miss Ida Delaney entertained a few of her friends at her home, 3161-2 East Broad Street, on last Wednesday evening, in celebration of her eighteenth birthday. The guests were entertained by games and music until late in the evening, when supper was served. The dining-room was arranged in a color scheme of green and white, with a large birthday cake as a centerpiece for the table. The guests were Misses Fannie Gellman, Martha Moore, Regina Buchanan, Florrie Mable and Ida Delaney, Lillian Watkins, Bertha Howard, Aileen Yeaman, Mabel Barlow, Valerie Garman, Ruth Cavanaugh, Louise Werner, Howell Austin, James Cannaday, Jim Tucker, Fred Jones, Moses Gellman, Robert Bayless, Floyd Bradley, Carroll Speights, William Simpkins, West Martin, F. Banua, Clyde Thomas, Mrs. W. P. Delaney and Mrs. C. M. Thomas.

Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Old Dominion Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held at noon Tuesday at 311 East Grace Street. All members are urged to be present at this meeting.

Club Entertained. Mr. and Mrs. E. Will entertained the members of the Kaffee Klatsch Club and their friends at their new home in Clinton Park to celebrate of their twentieth anniversary on Thursday night, January 15.

The occasion was a brilliant one, the women appearing in Colonial costume. The spacious parlors were decorated in palms and evergreens, and dancing music was played.

The dining-room was decorated in the club colors, and Henry C. Rueger acted as toastmaster. Toasts and congratulatory remarks were offered and reminiscences indulged in.

The "Kaffee-Klatsch" was formed January 15, 1892, by a group of young girls, and it is to be remarked that after twenty years of existence the circle of its members is unbroken, and that on this occasion every one of its founders, with the exception of Mrs. Will Carter, of Atlanta, Ga., was present. Mr. Carter, however, was represented by a touching "forget-me-not" letter, which was responded to by a toast "To the Absent One," and an affectionate greeting framed and forwarded to Atlanta.

Those present were: The host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. E. Will, Mrs. John T. Anderson, Jr., Mrs. H. C. Rueger, Mrs. Henry Miller, Mrs. William J. Ebel, Mrs. W. P. Klein, Mrs.

Theo. Keck, Mrs. John Liebert, Mrs. Samuel Dunstan, Mrs. O. E. Spott, Mrs. Charles Voltz, of Chicago; Mrs. Kate Wenzel-Bromm, Miss May Greener and Mrs. August Dietz; H. C. Rueger, John T. Anderson, Jr., Henry Miller, William J. Ebel, W. P. Klein, Theo. Keck, John Liebert and O. E. Spott.

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Back to Sweet Sixteen. Ladies Will Find the Following Experience of Mrs. Blair Full of Interest.

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In and Out of Town. Mrs. Samuel McGinn, of Norfolk, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Smyth, at their home on the River Road, this week.

Mrs. Irebelle, formerly Miss Roberta Edmond, of this city, but now of Long Island, is the guest of Mrs. Charles W. Tanner, at 1106 Floyd Avenue.

Mrs. Mildred Hemmings returned to Norfolk last week, after visiting friends in this city.

Bishop Collins Denny, of this city, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lucian H. Cooke, in Roanoke.

Mrs. Credella Miller will return to Baltimore to-day, after a visit to Miss Nell Potts, on Park Avenue.

Mrs. Ollie Perry, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. McCherr here, has returned to her home in Orange.

Mrs. James I. Pritchett is visiting Mrs. W. P. Averett, in Lynchburg this week.

Mrs. J. R. Riddick and Miss Imogene Riddick, of Ashland, are spending two weeks with Mrs. Charles Page, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. David B. Tennant, have closed their country place, "Outlands," and gone to Washington for the rest of the winter.

Dr. W. W. Smith, who has been in the city for several days, has returned to Lynchburg.

Mrs. John Skelton Williams has returned to Richmond, after a visit to Mrs. R. Lancaster Williams in Baltimore.

Mrs. A. C. Rice, of 1917 West Main Street, has returned from a visit to her niece, Mrs. Claude West, in Norfolk.

Mrs. Charles MacL. Brown, of Florida, is visiting Mrs. Claude West at the latter's home in Norfolk.

Miss Mary Virginia Pend, of 3321 Park Avenue, will leave this week for Nashville, Tenn., where she will spend the remainder of the winter and spring with her sister, Mrs. George S. Cooke.

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DATES FOR FAIRS ARE ANNOUNCED
Greensboro, N. C., January 21.—At a well attended and interesting luncheon meeting of secretaries of fairs forming the Virginia-Carolina-Greene fair circuit here yesterday dates were arranged, as follows:
Galax, September 3-4; Tazewell, September 10-11; Roanoke, September 17-18; Lynchburg, September 24-25; Winston-Salem, October 1-2; Greensboro, October 8-11; Raleigh, October 15-18; Charlotte, October 22-25; Spartanburg, October 29-November 1; Columbia, November 5-9; Augusta, November 11-14.

Married at Midnight. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]—Friday night, at the midnight hour, at the paragon of College Hill Baptist Church, Miss Eva Goggin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. E. Goggin, was married to W. H. Ford. They left on a late train for a bridal trip to New Brighton, where he had been waiting, and will be at home after February 15.

Record Fall for Farm Lands. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]—Buchanan, Va., January 21.—The record price on Mill Creek farm land was reached last week, when \$113.33-1-3 per acre was paid for the land. Mill Creek is on the national highway, and is one of the most prosperous sections of the county.

New Officers Elected. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]—Lynchburg, Va., January 21.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lynchburg Y. M. C. A., at its annual meeting Friday afternoon elected the following officers: President, Mrs. C. W. Gooch; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. C. B. Smith and Mrs. Malcolm Peak; Treasurer, Mrs. John D. Oglesby; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. A. May; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Margaret Dickerson; Historian, Mrs. Julian Ford.

"Daddy" Beyer Dead. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]—New York, January 21.—John Granger Beyer, actor, who was generally known among theatrical folk as "Daddy" Beyer, died yesterday at St. Vincent's Hospital, after a long illness. He had been suffering for more than a year and a half from cancer. He was born in London eighty-eight years ago. He was a favorite figure on the stage in New York and lived there until he was taken ill.

A Descendant of Peregrine White. Boston, Mass., January 21.—Ann W. Pennington, 100 years old, was generally known as Peregrine White, the first child born to the Pilgrims, died at her home in Brookline of old age.

IN THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT
By ROY K. MOULTON



Satisfied. Sometimes when Ah looks 'round an' folks say 'Dey's gwine right straight to glory kase Dey am so powerful pure; When Ah looks at old Deas o' Jones, Who's crooked as a stick An' sings hymns lak he didn't know A single hoes trade trick; When Ah considers Deacon Smiff, Who says he wouldn't stoop To do a wrong, but has been caught In the Brown's chicken coop; When Ah takes stock of old man Hicks, Who extorts wad a shout, But has been 'rested nineteen times, Or leastwise thereabout; When Ah looks at old Elder Jinks, Who spens his time in prayin' An' lak his wife take washin' in 'Frm families neah an' far, I say, when Ah considers dem, Ah somehow got a hunch It won't be safe for me to take No chances wid dat bunch. If dis here faw dat Ah have named Will be de only men In dis yere town dat's gwine to go. To glory sure—well, then, I somehow got a feelin' dat, From all de things Ah knows, Ah'll take mah chances wid de crowd, No mattah whar' it goes.

Perhaps. No young, aspirin' actress Should frown on any man, But should always enlarge her Acquaintance when she can; Though he be old and homely, And built like apsal stairs, She may be entertainin' An' 'angel' unawares.

Answers to Correspondents. Discouraged Reader: We think that

you require too much to make you happy. What if you are getting only \$60 a week? You can have fresh meat once a week and can take in a dollar excursion once in a while. Don't give up so easily. We have heard of people who are getting along on a smaller salary than yours.

Sultor: You say her father frowns upon your suit? Well, then, when you calk keep your overcoat on. Gardener: You ask us what, in our opinion, we think of the plants, and we reply immediately that we think the electric light and gas plants are.

To Get It Over. "Maude," asked the sultor, anxiously, "may I call upon you Monday evening?" "Impossible," she replied, quickly. "I must go to a bridge party that night." "How about Tuesday evening?" "Well, Wednesday evening, then?" "I have got to take mother to the theatre that evening." "Thursday night, then, surely?" "I shall be out of town that evening."

"Well, then, shall I call it Friday night?" "Let me see. Oh, no, not Friday evening; for my singing lessons Friday evening." "Saturday evening, then, Maude?" "Um-um-um," she faltered; "um-um-oh, give whiz, come Monday evening!"

Can't Blame Him. He got aboard the car and chose an isolated place. And guarded with suspicion every new arrival's face. And grew extremely nervous when the crowd began to squeeze. He held his breath, watching closely, watching over it with care. It was not a bunch of jewels or a kingly ransom quite. And he was not custodian of stocks and bonds so rare. But he was only taking home a peck of furnace anthracite.

Recent severe weather, when the thermometer fell to 28 degrees below zero in some sections of the lower Shenandoah Valley, will not mean the loss of much money to Frederick county fruit growers, as the majority of the fruit men of this immediate vicinity have been giving little attention to peach raising for years. Ten years ago, Frederick county produced more peaches than any other county in lower Maryland. The crop is regarded as being unusually large, and horticulturists have been investing their money in apples. Fruit men who were in lower Maryland declared that the recent cold weather did not affect peach trees, and with continued cold in January and February they look forward to a bumper crop of apples next year.

Professor Board, principal of the cultural High School at Middletown, this county, has arranged to hold a farmers' school at the high school building on January 21, 22, 23, and 24, when topics relating to more than 100 different kinds of farming and live stock raising will be discussed by Dr. N. A. Mayo, Dr. S. W. Fletcher, Professor R. M. Howard, H. J. Davidson, Lyman Carrier and others.

By affirming the decision of Judge T. W. Harrison, of the Circuit Court of Frederick county, in the case of Whitacre against Whitacre, the Supreme Court of the State of Maryland last week decided that Mr. Morris Whitacre, a former prominent Winchester lawyer, is not entitled to more than residential property in Winchester and her one-third of her husband's estate. Mr. Whitacre, who died in 1904, left his widow and then directed his estate to pass as if he had died intestate. In addition to his home and wife was to have one-third of his entire estate after the law had given her the portion prescribed by the statute. Judge Harrison held that the will was void, and that she was entitled only to the house and a third of the balance of the estate, and not to an additional third.

It is expected that a number of Winchester Catholics will be in Richmond when Bishop Dennis J. O'Connell is installed as bishop of the diocese to succeed late Rev. Augustine Van de Vyver. Bishop O'Connell was pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart here some years ago, and has many friends among the classes of people, who have been pleased to hear of his elevation.

Miss Ada B. Thatcher, who lost all her baggage, jewels and several hundred dollars in money in the fire which destroyed the Letterman apartment house in Richmond last week, has been under the care of physicians since arriving at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bettie Thatcher, in Winchester. She suffered from a very nervous attack in Charlottesville and another while waiting for a train at Staunton.

The snow which has covered the ground to a depth of ten inches for more than a week, and has disappeared rapidly during the past few days of more moderate weather, and as a result many of the streams in Frederick and Clarke counties have become greatly swollen. Some of the creeks have been almost past fording, and a number of narrow escapes have been reported.

It is expected that a large number of certificate holders of the defunct Valley Building and Loan Association to represent their interests in the effort now being made by Judge E. D. Newman, the receiver, to settle the affairs of the company, which have become so complicated, Judge T. W. Harrison, of the Circuit Court, has referred the case to a special commissioner.

Dates Warren, a Washington man, who bought the Montgomery Hall estate from Frank Walter, in Augusta county, several months ago, has planted 5,000 apple trees on the place, and it is expected that he will plant as many more in the near future.

Miss Sallie Bruce, of Woodstock, who was burned when hurled against a stone in a Southern Railway coach at Edinburg, recently has received a check for \$1,000 from the railroad company in settlement of her claim.

Some of the relatives of the late Mrs. Harriet V. R. Crosby, who died recently, leaving an estate worth over \$100,000, are not satisfied with the manner in which she disposed of her property, and lawyers have been employed to break the will, if possible.

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GAIN IN ATTENDANCE.
Second Term at V. P. I. Begins—Bouquet of Richmond Club.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]—Blackburg, Va., January 21.—Second term work at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute is now well under way and the enrollment is greater than on the same date last session. Only a few cadets failed to return after the Christmas vacation, and there were several new men entering to take their place.

At the meeting this week the members of the Richmond Club made arrangements for the annual banquet to be given the last week in February, and for a proper representation of the men from the capital city in the 1912 Bugle. This is one of the largest student clubs in college, and their annual dinner is the most elaborate of the session.

Lee's Birthday was observed at the college by a suspension of all classes and a celebration of the Lee Literary Society Friday evening. On the latter occasion speeches, readings and the enrollment were given by the members extolling the character of Lee and the program was a most interesting one.

President Barringer returned from Richmond Friday morning, having spent the week there on business connected with the affairs of the institute. Dr. S. W. Fletcher, director of the experiment station; Professor Mayo, Brainard and Hutcheson, of the college of agriculture, were also in Richmond for the meeting of the State farmers' institute.

The chief social event of the week for the cadets was the